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rated education award under §2527.10(c) of this chapter or pro-rated Stafford Loan Forgiveness under §2522.605(c) of this chapter, the Corporation will notify the holder of the loan of the circumstances and date of the individual's release but will pay no portion of the accrued interest.

(c) Suspended service. The Corporation will not pay any interest expenses that accrue on an individual's qualified student loan(s) during a period of suspended service.

§ 2529.30 What additional student loan forbearance benefits are available for VISTA volunteers?

- (a) VISTA volunteers may be eligible to have periodic installment payments of principal deferred for up to three years during periods of economic hardship, in accordance with the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended.
- (b) VISTA volunteers also may qualify for interest benefits on Stafford loans from the Department of Education under 34 CFR 682.301.

PART 2530—PURPOSES AND AVAIL-ABILITY OF GRANTS FOR INVEST-MENT FOR QUALITY AND INNO-VATION ACTIVITIES

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2530.10 What are the purposes of the Investment for Quality and Innovation activities?

2530.20 Funding priorities.

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Investment for Quality and Innovation activities are designed to develop service infrastructure and improve the overall quality of national and community service efforts. Specifically, the Corporation will support innovative and model programs that otherwise may not be eligible for funding; and support other activities, such as training and technical assistance, summer programs, leadership training, research, promotion and recruitment, and special fellowships and awards. The Corporation may conduct these activities either directly or through grants

to or contracts with qualified organizations.

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§2530.20 Funding priorities.

The Corporation may choose to set priorities (and to periodically revise such priorities) that limit the types of innovative and model programs and support activities it will undertake or fund in a given fiscal year. In setting these priorities, the Corporation will seek to concentrate funds on those activities that will be most effective and efficient in fulfilling the purposes of this part.

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PART 2531—INNOVATIVE AND SPE-CIAL DEMONSTRATION PRO-GRAMS

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2531.10 Military Installation Conversion Demonstration programs.

2531.20 Special Demonstration Project for the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta of Alaska.2531.30 Other innovative and model programs.

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§ 2531.10 Military Installation Conversion Demonstration programs.

- (a) *Purposes.* The purposes of this section are to: (1) Provide direct and demonstrable service opportunities for economically disadvantaged youth;
- (2) Fully utilize military installations affected by closures or realignments;
- (3) Encourage communities affected by such closures or realignments to convert the installations to community use; and
- (4) Foster a sense of community pride in the youth in the community.
- (b) Definitions. As used in this section: (1) Affected military installation. The term affected military installation means a military installation described in section 325(e)(1) of the Job Training Partnership Act (29 U.S.C. 1662d(e)(1)).
- (2) Community. The term community includes a county.
- (3) Convert to community use. The term convert to community use, used